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SUBJECT: TENERIFE PLANE CRASH

- 1. PAN AM CONTINUES TO PRESS FOR DOVER AFB AS THE MOST APPROPRIATE SITE FOR DELIVERY AND PROCESSING OF REMAINS FROM TENERIFE.
- 2. WE HAVE RELAYED INFORMATION PROVIDED BY DOD THAT (A) DOVER FACILITIES NOT ADEQUATE, (B) CIVILIAN MORTUARIES SHOULD BE UTILIZED, AND (C) DOD WOULD CONSIDER SYMPATHETICALLY A REQUEST FOR ASSISTANCE IN IDENTIFYING REMAINS.
- 3. IN VIEW OF PERSISTENCE OF PAN AM IMPRESSION THAT DOVER IS ONLY SUITABLE SITE, WOULD APPRECIATE MORE SPECIFIC GUIDANCE AS TO HOW TO RESPOND, INCLUDING DETAILS CONCERNING LACK OF FACILITIES AT DOVER AND WHY ALTERNATIVE MILITARY FACILITIES NOT APPROPRIATE.
- 4. HAVE JUST LEARNED THAT PAN AM BEING URGED TO SEEK UNCLASSIFIED

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PERMISSION TO USE DOVER ON ADVICE OF NTSB AND FBI PERSONNEL AT TENERIFE AS ONLY SITE WITH SUITABLE SPACE, REFRIGERATION AND NEARBY MEDICAL FACILITIES. CHRISTOPHER

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